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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	CASE NO. S-04-0432
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	STIPULATION AND ORDER TO
	)	CONTINUE STATUS CONFERENCE
MERVIN D. HAUGEN,	)	AND EXCLUDE TIME
	)	
Defendant.	)	<b><u>"AS MODIFIED"</u></b>
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The parties stipulate to continue the status conference set for May 16, 2005 to June 13, 2005 at 9:30 a.m. The parties further agree that time beginning May 16, 2005 and extending through June 13, 2005 should be excluded from the calculation of time under the Speedy Trial Act. The parties submit that the ends of justice are served by the Court excluding such time, so that counsel for the United States may have reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(iv). In particular, the United States needs more time to follow internal Department of Justice procedures for reporting and analyzing adverse decisions in district courts. See U.S.A.M. §§ 2-2.110, 2-2.111. The parties

1 stipulate and agree that the interests of justice served by  
2 granting this continuance outweigh the best interests of the  
3 public and the defendant in a speedy trial. 18 U.S.C. §  
4 3161(h)(8)(A).

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7 Respectfully Submitted,

8 MCGREGOR W. SCOTT  
9 United States Attorney

10 DATE: May 9, 2005

11 By: /s/ Matt Segal  
12 MATTHEW D. SEGAL  
13 Assistant U.S. Attorney

14 DATE: May 9, 2005

15 /s/ Quin Denvir  
16 QUIN DENVIR  
17 Counsel Mervin D. Haugen

18 **SO ORDERED.**

19 Dated: May 10, 2005

20 /s/ Frank C. Damrell Jr.  
21 HON. FRANK C. DAMRELL JR.  
22 U.S. District Judge  
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